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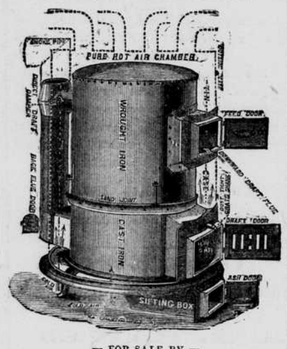

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CITY ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Brackett Street Bridge over the track of the Boston & Maine Railroad will be closed to travel during the building of a new bridge, commencing October 5, 1875, until urther notice.

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These are the Working Man's friend. A good Suit for little money. Don't fail to see them. It is our aim to keep so large an assortment, that all classes may be both fitted and suited.

Overcoats, Ulsters, Reefers

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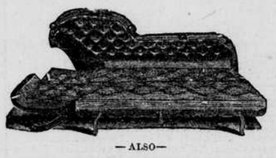

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, DEC. 1, 1875

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We do not read anonymous letters and communications. The name and address of the writer are in all cases indispensable, not necessarily for publication but as a guaranty of good faith.

We cannot undertake to return or reserve communications that are not used.

What is Expected.

It is hopeless to expect the Democratic national House to turn its attention to the national interests or to decide upon a policy until the edge of the Democratic office-hunger is dulled. Like that other soldier of fortune, Dugald Dalgetty, the Democracy devours all the food within reach before it enters upon a campaign. Like him also it has serious doubts in regard to getting another meal, and so prepares itself as well as it can for a long fast. Unfortunately for it the offices at its disposal will go a very little way toward satisfying its hunger. But they will at least blunt it. The chief dish is the speakership. For this three promising Democrats are opening their mouths. Mr. Wood has withdrawn, and will cast his influence for Mr. Randall. In return he is to have the chairmanship of the Ways and Means in case of Mr. Randall's success. Mr. Cox stands very little chance, and it is thought that his strength will be thrown for Mr. Kerr. He looks for the same reward as Mr. Wood. The contest is between Mr. Randall and Mr. Kerr, the East and the West. The balance of power is with the South, and the South will follow the lead of Mr. Lamar. So we shall see an ex-Confederate officer dictating to the national House and choosing its Speaker. After he has made his decision there will be many other offices to fill, and very many candidates to choose from.

It will be a relief to all when the spoils business is settled, and the House turns its attention to legislation. It has much to do, and the country will brook no unnecessary delay. The people demand that the finances shall receive immediate attention, and that our currency shall be at once placed upon a sound basis. As soon as this task is disposed of attention may be turned to other matters. But the currency question is the all-important one. Upon it no shuffling nor evasion will be allowed. Congress will have to meet the matter fairly. The question cannot be put aside. It demands attention, and will not bear dallying with. A great responsibility rests with the majority in the House. The Democrats can no longer employ themselves in obstructing and criticising. The country is willing to give them reasonable time in which to divide the spoils, but as soon as that job is finished it requires that something should be done in regard to the finances. The President's message will furnish matter for action.

THE Toronto *Globe* has been looking over the Intercolonial Railway which extends from Moncton, N. B. to the eastern terminus of the Grand Trunk at Riviere du Loup—375 miles in length—and concludes that the investment is one of doubtful utility. The country through which it passes had a population of but 115,000 in 1871 and the road has already cost over twenty-one millions of dollars and at least four millions more are required to complete the whole and furnish rolling stock. More than that, the distance from St. John to Montreal *via* Bangor and Danville Junction is 614 miles against 751 miles by the Intercolonial route—showing a difference of 137 miles in favor of the Maine route. From Montreal to Halifax the Intercolonial line is 42 miles shorter. The St. John *Globe* remarks in this connection that "so long as the road to Portland is not hampered by any unfriendly regulation of the United States Government that port must continue to be the principal winter shipping port of the Dominion." The policy of railroad building upon which the Dominion Government has entered so energetically, will be watched with interest by intelligent men outside of that country. We hope the best results for our neighbors; but we fear that many of the lines they are now opening with the aid of subsidies, will bring a heavy burden of taxation to the people for many years. If, however, they escape the corruption that is nearly inseparable from the participation of government in such enterprises, they will be most fortunate. National pride has led the Dominion government to build the Intercolonial Railway, since it was a matter of great mortification to a new and vigorous nation to be obliged to journey across a foreign country to go from one section to another. Business is less sentimental and will take the shortest and cheapest route.

THE New York *Tribune* says that the Republican party showed the true spirit of reform in the exposure of the whiskey frauds, It remarks that it cannot be said that the party has shown the least sympathy for the participants in these crimes, or made the slightest effort to shield them or to embarrass Secretary Bristow. In its opinion it is unquestionable that the party will gain by the exposure, and that the credit is greater because the guilty persons were peculiarly influential and prominent in the Republican ranks. It adds: "The Republicans may justly claim that they alone have pushed reform of the public service even to the breaking of some rings by which their party and theirs only was supplied with funds, the dishonoring of some leaders and organs of their party, and the punishment of offenders who were influential in their own councils. For, though the Tammany Ring was broken by two Democrats, Tilden and O'Conor, the most efficient support they had came from the other party, and the Canal Ring, though broken by a Democrat, embraced Republicans as well as Democrats, The Whiskey Ring, on the other hand, was a corrupt combination of officials and politicians exclusively Republican, and it was broken up by a Republican Administration, the Republican party throughout the country applauding."

THE absurd report that complications of a serious character have arisen between this country and England in regard to the Canadian fisheries creates much amusement at Washington, and has been the cause of many jokes, presumably poor, between Secretary Fish and Sir Edward Thornton. It is stated that the English and American commissioners have already been chosen in accordance with the treaty of Washington, and that the Prussian minister will choose the third some time during the winter.

A funny report comes from Washington. Downing, the colored caterer, is a candidate for keeper of the House restaurant. He says he was always kind to the Democrats, and was never partisan in the distribution of his pies. It is his opinion that the Southern Democrats have an opportunity to show their kind feelings toward his race, and he promises if he is retained to do all he can to divide the colored vote and "to emancipate my people from the thraldom of carpet-baggers."

SECRETARY ROBESON, if we can believe a correspondent of the New York *World*, declares that the late activity in his department has had no other object than to put our navy in a condition to protect our interests in the disturbed waters of Central America and the West Indies. There has been no design whatever of any aggressive movement, and everything which has been done was required by the inefficient state of our naval forces.

CANDOR compels us to say that it looks very much as if President Grant's Private Secretary, Gen. Babcock, has been mixed up with the St. Louis whiskey ring. Gen. Babcock graduated at West Point with honor, served during the war with conspicuous distinction, and has enjoyed the confidence of the President to a remarkable degree. All of these will not save him from disgrace if it shall be shown that he is in the remotest manner tainted with the fraud. Let every guilty man be punished.

A CORRESPONDENT of the Bangor *Whig* presents a series of good reasons why Luther Curtis of New Sharon, should not be pardoned out of prison before the expiration of his sentence. He plotted to defraud a Life Insurance Company out of $3000 and succeeded, and the writer thinks it isn't the time to start the idea that an influential man can do such things with impunity.

THE managers of the Centennial Exhibition have done wisely in offering the post of Musical Director to Mr. Theodore Thomas. The appointment is the best that could be made, and it is a matter for congratulation that Mr. Thomas accepts. His own admirable orchestra will form the nucleus of the band.

A CORRESPONDENT of the North *Star* must surprise its readers when he takes a column of that versatile and lively journal to advocate the election of President Grant for a third term. We trust that no "servile federal office-holder" has stolen into the North *Star* enclosure unawares.

THE venerable muskrat who gave out early in October that he wasn't going to fool away any time in banking his mansion or putting in his double windows, must have been a good deal surprised at the fall weather Monday and Tuesday.

THE amount of letter writing on the speakership would seem to have been prodigious. A Tennessee representative has said that he had received no less than three hundred letters from one of the candidates, or his friends, and still was unmoved.

Current Notes.

Either Henry Wilson was a statesman, or else the country has got along without statesmen through the most critical period of its existence.—*Boston Journal.*

We would just like to know, you know, whether an overwhelmingly Democratic Congress proposes to let the Radical New York *Tribune* and *Herald*, and the semi-Radical New York *World*, persuade it that the carcasses of Sam Randall and Mike Kerr contain all the Speaker timber of a hemisphere.—*Raleigh Sentinel.*

The Republicans of Indiana have decided to hold their State Convention on Feb. 22, when they will nominate candidates for Governor and other State officers, and four Judges of the Supreme Court, and will choose 15 Presidential Electors, and delegates to the National Republican Convention. Senator Morton is very likely to secure the adoption of a resolution in favor of his nomination for the Presidency. Gen. Benjamin Harrison is thought to have the inside track for the nomination for Governor. His competitors are the present Lieut. Gov. Leonidas J. Sexton and Gen. Thomas Browne.

The Democratic party has received a good deal of valuable advice from the Baltimore *Gazette* within the past six months, which it has studiously refrained from following. Here is another piece from the same source: "There is a too evident tendency in the Democratic press to urge investigation as the end and aim of the Democratic House of Representatives. This is all wrong. Congress has other work than to resolve itself into a smelling committee of the whole on the rottenness of the Union. The Democratic majority must put in practice the protracted preachings of honesty and economy which the country has heard from the small Democratic corner of the House for the last fifteen years. In short, the Democratic Congress this winter is expected to make the Democratic platform of 1872 good for 1876 by honoring its professions. Thorough investigation must be instituted, of course, but that is not enough."

There is an unmistakable revolt against these funeral pageants that wind their way from city to city and prolong the obsequies of a public man until a careless and capricious public weary of the mention of his name in the newspapers. It seems like an affront to genuine grief to make a dead statesman the focus of staring crowds and withhold his worn-out body from the resting-place which belongs to it. There is too much unsuccessful striving after display, too little simplicity and sincerity, too much local and official vanity, too little genuine appreciation and feeling, about these mournful processions not to cause one to feel that this is treating the dead with indignity rather than with honor. Those who would respect a man's privacy when alive ought not to insult it when dead. A man has a right to be left alone in his coffin—his last abode. The state which claims him can take him to herself and sorrow alone. States and communities which reverence him for his services and his goodness can give appropriate expression to their feelings in memorial meetings and the like. But, as for the poor clay, let that go to its long home.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The Baby at the Theatre.

She brought the darling with her to see the play. Her entire devotion to the active infant and total indifference to observation proclaimed her its mother. She tickled the baby under the chin till it crowed again. She seized its foot and shook it till the infant suffocated itself with delight. This had a bad effect, for when the babe recovered its wind it yelled with fright. Then such a kissing and dangling. It was tossed and playfully shaken, and grinned at, and chirruped to until it began another alarming laugh. An artificial rose in the maternal bonnet caught the infantile eye, and the delighted mamma suffered her offspring to bob weakly up and down on its limber legs, and jabber earnestly at the floral ornament. People in the vicinity grew nervous. Such a lively infant was sure to make things disagreeable before the evening was over. Several young men got up and changed their seats to the other side of the theatre. Gentlemen contracted their bows, and unmarried ladies assumed fixed smiles of unnatural sweetness as they cast their fine eyes toward the playful infant and its proud and happy mother. The lights were turned up and out bulged the infant's eyes; while its hand, with the tiny fingers working, stretched convulsively toward the glitterly gas jets on the other side of the auditorium. The orchestra began with a crash. The baby fell upon its back in the maternal lap and set up a shriek so loud that the old German doing a little solo on the cornet between crashes had his sound quite drowned. It was noticed that when it came to the bass drum man's turn to chime in, he did so with a thundering vigor that would have covered the screeches of a foundling hospital. Baby got used to it, and when the curtain rang up sat in a state of stupefaction, staring at the actors. An amiable old gentleman in eye-glasses and white vest, sitting immediately in front of the baby, wearied by the play, and in the most grandfatherly manner possible, turned and, poking a fat fore finger into the infant's ribs jocosely chicked his tongue. The consequence of this advance was that, just as a young gentleman on the stage, who was on his knee before a young lady with averted head, remarked in an impassioned manner, "And, Edith, darling, should heaven bless our union and give us"—baby gave a howl of supernatural loudness. The confused and mortified old gentleman blew his nose with prodigious vigor, straight before him with a very red face. The young gentleman on the stage was startled out of his speech, and the young lady, overcome with emotion, stuffed her handkerchief into her mouth. Every man in the house scowled at the mother, who seemed more calmly delighted with her darling than ever, and made loving faces at it for full five minutes. She was really and truly unconscious that she and her pet annoyed any one, and throughout the whole evening smiled serenely and looked upon the infant's screams and kicks as marks of a precocity which must excite the admiration of the public.—*Salt Lake Herald.*

The average railroad corporation stands a poor show before a granger jury out in Wisconsin. One Nathaniel Jenkins smuggled himself into a car on the Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad, which had been chartered for the transportation of a horse. Near Lyle the car took fire, and he received injuries from the smoke which, it is claimed, have entailed a pulmonary affection. Thereon he sued the company for damages, and, though it was proved that he paid no fare, that the company had made no contract to carry him, that the train hands did not even know of his presence in the car where he had no right to be, the jury gave him $1500 damages.

Words.

Words are something more than arbitary signs. They have an artificial look, as they stand up in regular rows like files of soldiers with little dashes and dots scattered along the ranks, and a big letter leading off every sentence as a sort of captain. But words are wonderful things, when you get down to the live root, and see what they have sprung from. Your eye, for instance, falls upon the word *conspirators*, and if you happen to remember that it means "breathing-together"—from the Latin *con*, together, and *spiro*, to breath—it becomes a picture, and you seem to see a band of men in a dark, sequestered room, plotting treason with low, bated breath—no one daring to speak above a whisper. The terms by which various other styles of men are designated become just as vivid, when you know precisely what they mean. We hear of a company of *profligates*, and the word suggests something repulsive; but the etymology of the word—*pro*, and *fligo*—"to dash against"—gives peculiar definiteness to our conception of these heedless men, hurling themselves about in defiance of all moral restraint. *Ambition* is derived from *ambire*—"to go round"—a harmless occupation in itself; but we can easily understand, from what we see going on about us, how it came to be used as equivalent to a desire for place and power. *Ambiguity*, as the origin of the word indicates, is a driving from side to side after a zigzag fashion, and no image could picture more forcibly the mode in which certain people go through the world. When one man *supplants* another, by getting him turned out of office, or in any other way—according to the original meaning of the term, he "trips him up," or "removes the props from under him." A *prevaricator* is literally a man with bandy-legs, or one who straddles; no rhetorical flourish could describe him more strikingly.

Let me next call your attention to the wonderful delicacy with which the different shades and degrees

the rightful heir of the Breadalbane estate of cotland, worth $600,000 per annum. The young Enenose yoeman becomes one of the wealthiest earls of Scotland. He has already left for his estate.

The cemetery rioters appeared before the Montreal police magistrate on the 19th, when the counsel for the prosecution consented to the dismissal of the case, on condition that the prisoners in retaliation would not take proceedings against the complainants for damages. All the prisoners consented except one, named Provencal, a butcher, who expressed his determination to fight the matter out to the bitter end. The case against him was, consequently, proceeded with.

The number of vessels entered inward at Quebec from the opening of navigation up to the 16th, including 185 from the lower ports, was 959. The clearances to the same date, including 179 for the lower ports, were 948, leaving 11 vessels in port. Since the opening of navigation, 344 vessels have been licensed by the Quebec Custom House for the local trade of the province. The fall short in the arrivals from sea, of sailing vessels, up to the 18th, numbers 229 vessels, or 181,834 tons, as compared with last year.

The Bishop of Moutreal in a pastoral letter after declaring "in virtue of the divine power that the place where the rebellious child of the church (Guibord) was buried became separated from the rest of the consecrated cemetery, and is now nothing else than a profane place," asserts that "From the grave which contains the remains of a misguided man, who persevered until death in his revolt against the Church, a lamentable and lugubrious voice will be heard day and night. 'Oh, all who pass in this field of death, stop one moment near this grave and reflect on my unhappy lot. Let my example teach you that the Church of God cannot be made a mockery of with impunity. Alas! the more *eclat* made around my dry and arid bones, the more infamy and dishonor become attached to my name. Why was I not hidden in an obscure place and a forgotten ground? I would then be as if I never had been born. My memory would not then be a malediction from age to age, as it must now be, and my name would be forgotten, instead of being in the mouth of everyone, to be cursed from generation to generation. Alas! they pretended to make a triumph, and they only succeeded in perpetuating my shame and my dishonor.'"

News and Other Items.

Gen. Sickles' eldest daughter is said to be about to marry a Spanish nobleman.

Mr. Spurgeon, the great London preacher, has come out strongly against the expulsion of the Bible from public elementary schools.

The skeleton of the horse that carried Gen. Sheridan on his historic 20-mile ride to Winchester, Va., is owned by a Rochester (N. Y.) man and is to be exhibited at the Centennial.

A case in one of the civil courts of San Francisco had to be postponed on account of a conflict of jurisdiction, one of the jurors having been sentenced to twenty-four hours' imprisonment for intoxication, by a police magistrate.

While the Rev. Charles Williams, colored, was expounding the Scriptures in the pulpit at Hempstead, Texas, some officers invaded the sanctuary and arrested him on a charge of horse-stealing.

The commission of David Crockett as justice of the peace of Lawrence county, Tenn., bearing the date of Nov. 24, 1817, and signed by Gov. James McMinn and William Alexander, Secretary of State, has just been received by the historical society of that state.

Quoting the report that Paul Morphy, the famous chess player, had become insane, the New Orleans Republican says: "Mr. Morphy can be seen on our streets any day having given up chess playing for the practice of the law. He was never in better health, physically and mentally, than now, and the above news is calculated to surprise him and his friends."

The Pall Mall Gazette speaking of a recent English book on "Nebraska," and of the cost of getting there, says: But, after all, the American railway charges for the transport of goods and persons are so reasonable that the comparative cost of the journey to one state or another need scarcely to enter into the emigrant's calculations.

Mr. J. H. Heap, United States Consul at Tunis, writes that the Bey of Tunis has arranged for a varied display at the Centennial, including essences, gilt brackets, woolen and silk goods, national costumes, jewelry, arms and saddlery. He will also send two large Arab tents to be erected in the park. Some French and Tunisian merchants are also arranging for a display of Oriental merchandise.

An accidental discovery of great importance, if verified, is announced by a French veterinarian, who, noting that the "foot and mouth of disease" seemed invariably to spare cattle affected with cow pox, has vaccinated a number of oxen as a preventative measure, with the result that "not one of the twenty-five beasts successfully inoculated has, to this date, shown any sign of foot and mouth disease, although living among animals largely infected with it."

For the Centennial Exhibition three hundred and eighteen artists have applied to the German commission for spaces, against five hundred and eighteen applicants of all other classes. Of collective exhibitions in the German department there will be eighteen, having five hundred participants. The architect Bartels, who was sent to Philadelphia by the German commission, reports very favorably on the progress of the buildings, and pronounces Fairmount Park one of the handsomest public places in the world.

A Bengal editor suspended his newspaper for two weeks on account of the Prince of Wales' visit, instead of devoting his energies to publishing accounts of the festivities, and excuses himself in this novel fashion: "The present is an occasion when all our countrymen should cease to work, and participate themselves in the joys and festivities incidental to it. Accordingly we allow ourselves and our establishment leave of absence for a couple of weeks. During this short recess we wish our subscribers and constituents health and good luck."

Edgar A. Poe's only sister, Miss Rosalie Poe, died last year, an inmate of a charitable institution in Washington. Everything that the kindness of friends could suggest had been done to relieve her pecuniary needs, but she was compelled at last to accept the alms of strangers. Just before her death she is said to have requested that her body be taken to Baltimore and buried beside that of her brother. The request was not heeded, however, and her body is now in the vault at Washington, where it was originally placed.

MINOR TELEGRAMS.

Gov. Gaston has requested the committee of the 5th Maryland Regiment who accompanied Mr. Wilson's remains from Baltimore to remain and take part in the funeral.

O. C. Moore of the Nashua Telegraph, was presented with a costly silver service Monday night on the fifteenth anniversary of his marriage.

The salaries of the New York custom house employes have been cut down 15 per cent. The collector makes the same reduction in his own. No other prominent official is announced as equally patriotic.

The state of Arkansas commenced paying currency yesterday for the first time in five years.

Hon. Ira Harris lies very low at his residence in Albany, N. Y., and cannot recover.

Indian Agent Gibson has resigned.

Fears of an Apache Revolt.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 30.—The Republican's Kansas City special says advices from Denver report that troops have been ordered from Forts Lincoln and Union to the vicinity of Cameron, New Mexico, where the Apache Indians had revolted some ten days since. It appears that one of the Apache chiefs refused to take the rations offered by the government agents, and after some words the Indian drew a revolver and shot the agent through the head. The affair caused great excitement, and after the Indian was placed in irons the rest of the tribe made a general disturbance. There are grave fears that a general outbreak of Apaches and Utes will take place, and much anxiety is felt. Dispatches from Santa Fe are looked for during the next twenty-four hours.

The Indianapolis Cases.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 30.—In the U. S. District Court, before Judge Gresham, the case of J. W. and Gordon Bingham was called and the joint appearance bond for $25,000 was forfeited. Gordon B. Bingham is sick at his home in Evansville, and John W. Bingham is at St. Louis, where he was surrendered by his sureties on another indictment. The following parties under indictment for fraudulent whiskey transactions withdrew their plea of not guilty and entered a plea of guilty: Philip E. Berwine, Col Geo. S. Simpson, J. E. Phillips, Hanson Miller, David M Lewis, Geo. Hagan, Geo F. Crisp, Christopher Cockbone, Wm. Montfort and Dennis Reilley. The court deferred sentence.

METEOROLOGICAL

PROBABILITIES FOR THE NEXT TWENTY FOUR HOURS.

WAR DEP'T, OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, Washington, D. C., December 1, (1 A. M.)

For New England,

and Middle states, high but falling barometer, winds veering to northeast and southeast, slightly warmer, partly cloudy weather and possibly followed in the latter by occasional light snow or rain.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MATTERS IN MAINE.

The South Windsor Robbery.

ROCKLAND, Nov. 30.—Abial Clarke, who stole a gold watch, a silver watch, pocket book and articles of clothing from James Manson of South Windsor, for whom he had been at work, yesterday morning was traced to this city by City Marshal Farrington of Augusta, who arrived with him about noon.

Clarke was found and arrested by our police this afternoon, the gold watch found in his boot and the silver watch in his vest pocket. An overcoat which he had stolen had been sold on his way here. Clarke has been taken to Augusta by City Marshal Farington.

Activity at the Kittery Navy Yard.

PORTSMOUTH, Nov. 30.—The activity at the navy yard continues and increases. An extra force will be taken on to-morrow in the construction and engineer departments The U. S. ship Marion is about ready, and will go into commission in a few days.

Executive Nominations

AUGUSTA Nov. 30 —William M. Rust, editor of the Belfast Progressive Age, has been nominated by the Governor as Judge of Probate for Waldo county, to fill a vacancy. John B. Morrison of Farmington, and Ira D. Sturgis of this city, have been nominated as Trustees of the Bath Soldiers' Orphan Asylum.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

An Unnatural Mother.

KEENE, Nov. 30.—A six months old male child was abandoned in the 9.30 passenger train last night by a woman who bought a ticket at Fitchburg for Keene, where she slipped off, leaving the child in the car. The conductor left it in charge of the depot restaurant keeper's family.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Fire in Charlestown.

BOSTON, Nov. 40.—Schooner Iris of Salem, lying at Hittinger's wharf, Charlestown, was burned to-night, together with 200 tons of hay. The wharf and shed were damaged $1000. Loss on schooner and cargo about $7000; partially insured.

NEW YORK.

The Brooklyn Ring.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The proposed prosecution of the Brooklyn officials, and contractors Kingsley and Keeney, for the recovery of nearly $1,000,000, of which they are alleged to have defrauded the city of Brooklyn, has caused considerable excitement. Counsel are preparing a defence. Mr. Parsons has accepted the position as the prosecution counsel and intends to bring the suits in New York county. The Brooklyn tax payers' association are raising money to prosecute the suits. It was rumored this afternoon that a prominent Brooklyn city official had been indicted by the grand jury for malfeasance in office, he having, as alleged, received from the gas companies a royalty of 65 cents on each gas lamp in the city. The money, it is alleged, was used for election purposes. It is officially announced that the prosecution in connection with the ring suits do not include Archibald M. Bliss, member of Congress elect, there being no cause of action against him.

Mr. O'Conor's Illness.

Mr. O'Conor's condition remained unchanged at noon to-day. He dozed and had some rest last night, but at present he is seemingly unconscious of everything going on about him.

WASHINGTON.

Official Appointments

WASHINGTON Nov. 30.—Judge Advocate Gen. Joseph Holt, of the army, has been retired upon his own application, and Assistant Judge Advocate General Wm. McKeen Dunn has been appointed Judge Advocate General to fill the vacancy, the appointment to date from Dec. 1, 1875.

There will be no appointment of Assistant Judge Advocate General, Congress having passed a law at its last session providing for the abolition of that office when it should become vacant.

Gen. Hancock's Report.

Gen. Hancock's report states that there are 238 officers and 1833 men in the military divisions of the Atlantic states, occupying twenty posts.

He makes several recommendations for repairs of garrisons, and says desertions have been materially reduced the past year.

Rumored Tender of the Commissionership of Indian Affairs to an ex Congressman.

It is reported on good authority that the President has tendered the position of Commissioner of Indian Affairs to ex-Congressman Wm. H. Upson of Ohio.

Gen. Pope's Report.

The report of Brevet Major General John Pope, commanding the department of the Missouri, after reviewing at some length the campaigns against hostile Indians in the department during the past year, says:

All the bands of Indians in the Southwest, Cheyennes and Arapahoes, Kiowas and Comanches, are now at their respective agencies, brought there by military force after a campaign of eight months of almost unprecedented hardship and exposure, and after a heavy expense to the government. They are brought there, too, entirely subdued and in such condition and under such circumstances that there is not the least danger, in my opinion, of any further trouble with them if they are only treated with humanity and dealt with with even ordinary honesty. Unless they are properly fed they must either suffer the pangs of hunger or starve to death. To see that they are so cared for as the government and humanity demands, and as the usual appropriations of Congress provide, is a duty devolved upon another department of the government. If honestly performed in the future, as I am sorry to believe it has not been done in the past, further troubles with these Indians may nearly be considered at an end.

Referring to feeding the Indians he says:

It is presumed, though without positive knowledge, that the appropriations of Congress if honestly disbursed and judiciously distributed will be sufficent for the purpose, and I cannot, in view of the peace of this frontier and the honor and good faith of the government, too strongly urge that this subject be clearly looked after, and that measures more vigorous and efficient than those hitherto pursued be adopted and enforced without delay. The military force have done well all they have the right or power to do, and they cannot or ought not to be held accountable for any further hostilities with these Indians, due to bad treatment and want of food at the agencies to which they have been forced to return and where they are now.

It is revolting to any humane man to see such things done and far more to be required to be the active party to commit violence upon forlorn Indians, who under the pressure of such necessity, only do what any man would do under like circumstances. I desire to say with all emphasis what every army officer on the frontier will corroborate, that there is no class of men in this country who are so disinclined to war with the Indians as the army stationed among them. The army has nothing to gain with war with the Indians. On the contrary, they have everything to lose.

Gen. Pope thinks the army should not be left to the mercy of the Indian agents, who make causes of war and then call the troops to their assistance.

He expresses the opinion that the maintenance of the smaller posts is inexpedient.

The Democratic Caucus.

The Democrats propose to hold their caucus on Saturday at 2 p. m., to agree upon candidates for elective officers of the House of Representatives.

Contested Seats in the House of Representatives.

The following is a correct list of the contested seats in the House of Representatives:

Alabama, Bromberg vs. Haralson.
Florida, Finlay vs. Walls.
Illinois, Lemoyne vs. Farwell.
Louisiana, Spencer vs. Morey and Breux vs. Darrall.
Massachusetts, Abbott vs. Frost.
Minnesota, Cox vs Strait.
New York, Lowery vs. Norton, 33rd district.
South Carolina, Lee vs. Rainey and Butts vs. Mackey.
Virginia, Platt vs. Goode.
Idaho Territory, Fern vs. Bennett.
Utah Territory, Boskin vs. Cannon.

Rumored Protest of Spain Against the Sale of Cuban Bonds in this Country.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—It is reported that the government used the cable wires for some hours this forenoon in the transmission of despatches between Secretary Fish and Minister Cushing at Madrid. A rumor is added that Spain has remonstrated against the U. S. government permitting the sale of Cuban bonds in this country, claiming that their issue here is in violation of treaty obligations.

Crimes and Casualties.

Three blocks in Melrose were burned yesterday. Loss $30,000.

Mathew Dowden has turned states evidence against John Hall, who is on trial for the murder of Henry Thompson, a negro, in Brooklyn.

The trial has commenced in Brooklyn in the U. S. Court, of Philip Leminski, a Polish Jew, one of the most expert manufacturers of spurious money in the country. He invested largely in machinery and distributed over $30,000 in counterfeit 5 cent nickel pieces throughout the country

A teamster named Hasslett fell from his team at Cambridge, yesterday, and the wheels passed over him breaking his neck.

Defeat of the Sonora Revolutionists.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 30.—A despatch from Tucson, Arizona, confirms the defeat of the Sonora revolutionists in the fight at Altor. Three officers and 24 men were killed and wounded. Several hundred horses and other property were captured. The revolutionists made Tucson their headquarters and enlisted many men there.

THE WHISKY FRAUDS.

Significant Despatches—Something for Gen. Babcock to Explain.

ST. LOUIS Nov. 30.—In the Avery trial yesterday after a long debate, telegrams were admitted as follows:

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 25, 1871.

To Gen. O. E. Babcock:

Poor Ford is dead. McDonald is with his body. Let the President act cautiously on the successorship. JOHN A. JOYCE.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 27, 1873.

To Gen. O. E. Babcock:

The bondsmen prefer the man they have recommended. An expression from the President to his friends here will secure everything. Let the President do for the best. Depend upon McDonald and myself to stand by his action to the last. JOHN A. JOYCE.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 28, 1875.

His Excellency, U. S. Grant:

We have the honor to recommend Col. Constantine Maguire for Collector of Internal Revenue of the 1st District of Missouri.

JOHN A. JOYCE,
WM. PATRICK,
C. A. NEWCOMB,
JOHN MCDONALD,

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 28, 1873.

To General Babcock:

See despatch sent to President. We mean it mum. JOYCE.

ST. LOUIS, March 14, 1874.

To General Babcock:

Start for San Francisco to-morrow night. Make D. call off his scandal hounds. That only blackens the memory of poor Ford and hinders business. J.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 27, 1874.

To General Babcock:

Have you talked with D.? Are things right? How? J.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3, 1874.

To General Babcock:

Has the Secretary or Commissioner ordered anybody here? J.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 3, 1875.

To General Babcock:

We have official information that the enemy weakens. Push things. SYLPH.

ST. LOUIS, April 23, 1875.

General Babcock:

Tell Mack to see Parker of Colorado and telegraph to Commissioner. Crush cut St. Louis enemies. GRANT.

The following is a despatch the handwriting of which was identified as that of Gen. O. E. Babcock:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13, 1874.

To Gen. John McDonald, St. Louis:

I succeed. They will not go. I will write you. SYLPH.

Testimony in the Avery Case Closed.

The prosecution in the Avery trial closed today by the introduction of some testimony of a general character, and the following telegram:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5, 1874.

Col. John A. Joyce, St. Louis:

Cannot hear that any one has gone or is going.

(Signed,) BABCOCK.

A somewhat lengthy discussion then took place, Judge Krun for defence contending that three counts of the indictment against his client were insufficient and should be quashed.

Gen. Henderson, for the prosecution, admitted one of the counts insufficient, but maintained that the others were good and binding. The court sustained Krun's position as to two counts, and said he should instruct the jury to return a verdict of not guilty as to them. The other counts were held good, and defence proceeded with their side by introducing three letters of a social character, which had passed between Joyce and Avery, and tending to show that they were in the habit of using such familiar terms as "Billy" and "Aleck," Joyce's middle and Avery's christian name, in writing to each other.

Depositions of persons in Washington relating to the good character of Avery were read. Judge Krun announced that the case was closed for the defence. The arguments will be heard to-morrow.

Gen. Babcock Protests His Innocence.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—The following telegram was sent this afternoon by Gen. Babcock to the U. S. Attorney at St. Louis:

Washington, Nov. 30.—To Hon. D. P. Dyer, U. S. District Attorney, St. Louis:

I am absolutely innocent, and every telegram which I sent will appear perfectly innocent the moment I can be heard. I demand a hearing before the court when I can testify.

O. E. BABCOCK.

MARINE NEWS.

Ship Frozen in at Damariscotta.

DAMARISCOTTA, Nov. 30.—The new ship Elwell, which was to have sailed tomorrow, is frozen in at her wharf. Efforts will be made to free her with a steam tug.

Damage to New Brunswick Shipping by the Gale.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 30.—The schooner Emma capsized in the harbor last night and the cook was drowned.

The schooner Acadia, coal laden, anchored off Beacon Bar, was run into and sunk.

Several other vessels were slightly damaged.

In General.

A despatch from Hatteras says the British bark Edwin, which is ashore 12 miles north of there will be a total wreck No lives were lost. There were 15 persons on board, including the captain's wife and two children.

About 40 vessels are ashore on Lake Michigan in a more or less disabled condition.

Destruction of a Grand Trunk Engine House—Loss $150,000.

BELLEVILLE, Can, Nov. 30.—The entire engine house at the Grand Trunk railway station here, was burned last evening. Ten engines were destroyed. The other railway buildings were saved with difficulty. Loss $150,000; insured in English companies.

The Rio Grande Raids.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Information received here from the Rio Grande is to the effect that the troubles along that river, growing out of the cattle raids by Mexicans, are as bad as ever. Mexican raiders have a contract to deliver 18,000 head of cattle at Monterey, and expect to steal from Texas.

Political.

CONCORD, Nov. 30.—A meeting of the Republican State Committee was held this evening at the Eagle Hotel, and was fully attended. Col. Daniel Hall of Dover, presided. It was decided to hold the state convention in this city at White's Opera House, Jan. 5th, at 11 o'clock a. m.

More Naval Activity.

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Orders have been received at the Brooklyn navy yard to place ten more monitors in commission, and the various naval rendezvous throughout the country have been instructed to enlist available men of all classes.

Senator Logan Ill,

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Senator Logan is lying in a somewhat precarious condition at the Palmer House, in this city, being afflicted with acute rheumatism of the brain.

FOREIGN.

Our Reply to Spain's Last Note.

MADRID, Nov. 30.—Mr. Cushing, the American Minister, will to-morrow present to the Minister of Foreign Affairs a telegraphic reply from his government to the last Spanish note. The tenor of the American despatch is considered very satisfactory, and dissipates the recent apprehensions.

Spanish Ministerial Changes.

The ministerial changes resolved upon in the Cabinet council of Saturday and already announced, take place on Thursday. The first day of February is announced for the meeting of the Cortes.

French Assembly—The Electoral Bill Adopted.

PARIS, Nov. 30.—The Assembly today finally adopted the electoral bill by a vote of 532 to 87. The bill was amended so as to grant the right of representation to all the colonies except Cayenne and Senegal. Urgency was almost unanimously voted for two proposals emanating respectively from the Right and Left Centres. One provides that the general elections shall be held Feb. 20, and the new Assembly be convoked Feb. 20. The other fixes the elections for Feb. 13, and the meetings of the Assembly for March 16. The committee to examine the proposals will be appointed Thursday.

The Liberian Troubles.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—H. W. Dennis, Secretary of the Treasury of Liberia, writes that the Liberian troops, having been defeated in an attack upon native town and lost three cannon there are grave fears that the natives on the entire coast will rally and attack settlements. The troubles is said to be largely due to British influence, and British steamers supply the natives with arms and ammunition. Mr. Dennis says the Liberian republic is too poor to successfully cope with their antagonists and foreign allies, and without help they must be blotted out.

Destruction of Plantations in Cuba.

HAVANA, Nov. 30.—Nearly all of the recently arrived Spanish recruits have been placed on sugar plantations in squads of 50 or 60 to guard them from the Cubans, but they will not be able to show much fight to Cuban columns of 200 men who come to fire the plantations.

The Cubans will not attack residences on plantations, but content themselves with destroying the machinery of sugar mills, and burning crops, which latter are now inflammable, owing to the cessation of rains.

Foreign Notes.

Weather was inclement in England and snow is quite general in the South.

The public prosecutors application to prosecute Von Arnim for treason has been granted.

Late Cuban advices report the defeat of Gen. Savin by the patriots.

At a meeting of the Royal Geographical Society in London Monday night, Major Grant and others highly eulogized Stanley.

King Alfonso and his generals have agreed upon a campaign in the North, to be undertaken immediately.

The Epoca demonstrates the pressing necessity of a treaty of commerce and navigation between Spain and the United States, probably with regard to Cuba interests.

Prince Gortschakoff had an interview with Bismarck yesterday, which lasted an hour.

Prof. Thomas Hewitt Keye, the philologist, is dead. He was mathematical professor in the University of Virginia in 1824.

The postal conference meets at Berne Jan. 17th, because the Indian government has announced its intention to join the Union.

The session of the Servian Skuptschina reopened yesterday.

THE ARCTIC WAVE.

Intense Cold in the United States and Canada.

In Maine.

KENNEBUNK, Nov. 30.—The mercury was 8° below zero at sunrise. There is a high wind.

BATH, Nov. 30.—The mercury this morning indicated 14° below zero. It is colder for November than has occurred for years.

ROCKLAND, Nov. 30.—It was very cold last night, with a gale from the west northwest. The mercury was 13° below zero at eight o'clock this morning.

LEWISTON, Nov. 30.—The thermometer was 13° below zero at 8 a. m. Outside reports are still lower

FAIRFIELD, Nov. 30.—The mercury here this morning indicated 18° below zero.

BRYANT'S POND, Nov. 30.—Mercury 20° below.

SKOWHEGAN, Nov. 30.—Mercury was 15° below this morning.

DAMARISCOTTA, Nov. 30.—Thermometer 12° below at 7 o'clock. The river is closed five miles from its head. The two falls, over which the ice has not formed for many years are closed.

AUGUSTA, Nov. 30.—The coldest day of the winter. Thermometer 10° below.

BANGOR, Nov. 30.—Intensely cold, thermometer ranging from 10° to 16° below zero. The harbor froze over last night and is probably closed for the winter. One vessel, the schooner Clara, is frozen in partly loaded with hay and brick.

FRYEBURG, Nov. 30.—This day is believed to have been the coldest on record for this latitude in November. At sunrise the thermometer indicated 14° below, at noon 2° above, and at 9 p. m., 18° below.

In New Hampshire.

PORTSMOUTH, Nov. 30.—The weather this morning was extremely cold, the mercury being 10° below zero. This is the coldest for November in 26 years. The velocity of the wind at 2 a. m., was 72 miles per hour. Many vessels covered with ice have been driven in shore but fortunately no disasters are reported.

CLAREMONT, Nov. 30.—At eight o'clock this morning the mercury stood at 15° below zero. Wind northwest. Sleighing splendid.

CONCORD, Nov. 30.—The thermometer registered 17° below zero here this morning; at Claremont it was 11° below; at White River Junction, 10° below; Littleton, 16° below; Lancaster, 18° below; Sunapee, 17° below; Bethlehem, 22° below; Canaan, 20° below; Plymouth, 12° below.

PLYMOUTH, Nov. 30.—Notwithstanding the severity of the storm yesterday the trains on the Boston, Concord and Montreal road were on time, with the exception of the cattle train, which was delayed some three hours by snow. The thermometer at 8 o'clock last night was 1° above, and this morning 15° below zero and the wind blowing very hard

LACONIA, Nov. 30.—The mercury is 15° below zero here at 6 o'clock this morning.

GORHAM, Nov. 30.—The thermometer was 18 degrees below zero at 7 a. m.

NASHUA, Nov. 30.—A cold wave swept over this city last night, it being the sharpest of the season. At Concord railroad station the mercury was 10° below zero this morning, and at other localities 4 to 8 below. A strong southwest wind prevailed through the night.

In Vermont.

ST. ALBANS, Nov. 30.—Last night was the coldest November night experienced for many years. At 6 o'clock this morning the thermometer registered 18 below zero. Reports from different points report severe cold. At Montreal it is intensely cold.

In Massachusetts.

HAVERHILL, Nov. 30.—The wind has blown away part of the South church steeple, several chimneys, signs and the cupola of a barn. It also nearly upset a barn in Plaistow. The mercury here at 7 a. m. was 8 below, and 11 below at Newton, N. H.

NEWBURYPORT, Nov. 30.—It is intensely cold here, the mercury being 6 below zero. The river is frozen to the piers—the first time ever known in November.

In New York.

NEW YORK. Nov. 30.—The weather is very cold; wind northwest and strong.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Nov. 30 —The Hudson river was frozen over this morning from Hudson to Albany. All the night steamers are behind time, owing to ice obstructions. The thermometer is at zero.

PORT JERVIS, Nov. 30.—Navigation on the Delaware and Hudson Canal is closed.

In Pennsylvania.

MILFORD, Nov. 30.—Last night was the coldest of the season. The thermometer was two above zero this morning. The Delaware river is frozen over.

In Michigan.

DETROIT, Nov. 30.—Lake Huron is covered with ice as far as the eye can see. A despatch from Sault Saint Marie says it is snowing with light west wind. The thermometer was 17 degrees below zero last night.

In Canada.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 30.—Last night six inches of snow fell, and a furious gale blew from the southwest.

MONTREAL, Nov. 30.—The thermometer registered 25° below zero last night.

TORONTO, Nov. 30.—The weather throughout Canada is unprecedently cold for this season. At 7 a. m. the thermometer at Ottawa was 20 below zero. At Peterboro and Montreal 17 below. At Perry Sound 29 below, Gulenean Mills 30 below. Quebec 20 below and 4 below here.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Portland Wholesale Markets.

TUESDAY, November 30.—The regular markets show no change to-day. The sugar market is quite active with no changes to note. Flour is active at the following prices: Superfine at 5 75 @ 6 00; extra Spring 6 50 @ 7 50; do xx 7 75 @ 8 00; Michigan 7 75 @ 8 00; do xx 8 75 @ 9 00; do Family 9 00 @ 9 50; Illinois x 7 50 @ 8 00; do xx 8 50 @ 9 50; St Louis x 7 75; do xx 9 00 @ 10 04.

Daily Domestic Receipts.

By water conveyance—1000 bush cornmeal to G W True & Co.

Foreign Exports.

BUENOS AYRES. Schr Annie S Conant—393,594 ft lumber, 15,520 pickets.

TRISTE MARTE. Schr John Bird—6783 hhd shooks.

CARDENAS. Schr Fred Jackson—3000 shooks and heads, 19,000 hoops, 100 bbls 800 bush potatoes, 10 bbls beans, 100 boxes herring, 2804 hhd shooks.

Boston Stock Market.

[Sales at the Brokers' Board, Nov. 29]

20 Eastern Railroad	11½
22 do	11
50 do	10¾
85 do	10¼
80 do	10½
110 do	10¾
$3,000 Eastern Railroad 7s, sinking fund	56

New York Stock and Money Market.

NEW YORK. November 30—Evening. — Money loaned up to 6 per cent. and closed at 4 per cent. Foreign Exchange reduced at 483½ for long and 487 for demand sterling, with actual business at 483 @ 486½.

Exports of produce for the week $5,549,352, against $5,068,901 for the corresponding week in 1874. Total exports of produce since January 1, this year, were $233,213,116, against $265,218,046 for the corresponding period in 1874, and $277,119,045 in 1873.

Gold declined at the opening from 114¾ to 114½, but afterwards advanced to 115¾ on rumors from Washington that the President had read his message to the Cabinet, and that the portion relating to Cuba was of such a warlike character it created dissension in the Cabinet. Towards the close of business reliable telegrams from Washington denied the above reports and stated that the President had not yet completed that portion of his message which will treat of the Cuba question and that he would not be ready to submit it to the Cabinet until their next meeting. When this became known gold declined to 115¼ and the market closed quiet at 115¼. The rates paid for carrying were 1, 1½, 2, 3 @ 4 per cent. The clearances of the Gold Exchange Bank were $26,785,000. The Assistant Treasurer paid out to-day $38,000 in interest and $265,000 in bonds. Customs receipts $325,000. Governments firm.

The following were the closing quotations of Government securities:

United States coupon 6's, 1881, coup	123¾
United States 5-20's, 1865, old	116½
United States 5-20's, 1865, new	120½
United States 5-20's, 1867	122
United States 5-20's, 1868	122½
United States new 5's	117½
United States 10-40 coupon	117½
Currency 6's ex	125

The following are the closing quotations of Stocks:

Western Union Telegraph Co—ex div	75½
Pacific Mail	41½
N Y Central and Hudson R. consolidated, ex-div	105½
Erie	15¾
Erie preferred	25
Michigan Central	88¾
Union Pacific Stock	81½
Lake Shore	60½
Illinois Central, ex-div	94½
Chicago & Northwestern	38½
Chicago & Northwestern preferred	57½
Chicago & Rock Island	105½
St. Paul Railroad	35½
St Paul preferred	65½
Wabash	5½
Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph	18
Missouri Pacific	13
Atlantic & Pacific, preferred	4½

The following were the quotations for Pacific Railroad securities:

Central Pacific bonds	106½
Union Pacific do	105
Union Pacific land grants	101½
Sinking Funds	95½

Watertown Cattle Market.

WATERTOWN, Nov. 30—Cattle Market.—Receipts of 1155 head. The market is a shade quicker on best grades at a trifling improvement in rates; very choice and select oxen brought 10½c ℔ lb dead weight. Taking all grades as a whole, however, there was no improvement; sales choice at 10 25 @ 10 50; extra at 9 00 @ 10 00; first quality at 7 50 @ 8 50; second quality at 6 00 @ 7 00; thirdquality at 5 00 @ 5 75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts of 3664 head; supply run light from the north, creating better show of business and rates were advanced about ½c ℔ lb; we quote sales of Sheep in lots, at 2 00 @ 2 00 each; extra at 3 50 @ 6 50.

Providence Print Cloths Market.

PROVIDENCE, November 30—The Printing cloths market is firm at last quotations at 4½c for ten days for spot and 4½c for sixty days for future delivery of standard and 64 x 64s.

Domestic Markets.

NEW YORK, November 30—Evening.—Flour receipts 31,243 bbls; the market is in little better inquiry without, however, any very decided change in prices; sales of 20,200 bbls; Superfine Western and State 4 75 @ 5 00; extra Western and State at 5 00 @ 5 50; choice Western and State at 5 55 @ 6 00; White Wheat Western extra at 6 10 @ 7 10; Fancy white Wheat Western at 7 15 @ 8 00; extra Ohio at 5 25 @ 7 20; extra St Louis at 5 50 @ 9 00; Patent Minnesota extra good to prime 6 20 @ 7 15; choice to double extra at 7 20 @ 9 50, including 6500 bbls shipping extra, a part common, at 5 30 @ 5 55; choice at 6 10 @ 6 60; 3700 bbls of extra mill flour at prices within range; the market closing steady for shipping grades; Southern flour at 5 20 @ 9 00. Rye flour is quiet at 4 25 @ 5 35. Cornmeal steady at 3 25 @ 4 00. Wheat—receipts of 254,132 bush; the market is less for common and inferior grades and a shade easier; sales 151,000 bush; 1 04 @ 1 05 for rejected Spring; 1 15 @ @ 1 20 for ungraded Spring; 1 14 for No 3 Chicago; 1 18 @ 1 19 for No 3 Milwaukee; 1 24 @ 1 25 for No 2 Chicago; 1 28 for No 2 Milwaukee; 1 35 in store; 1 38 afloat for No 1 Milwaukee; 1 12 for poor new Winter Red Western; 1 28 for good do; 1 40 for White Western nominally at 1 35 @ 1 39 for No 1 Minnesota and Milwaukee. Rye quiet and very firm. Barley is excited and 3 @ 4c higher. Barley Malt quiet. Corn—receipts 55,460 bush; heavy and fully 1c lower; sales 83,000 bush; 73 @ 74c per steam for Western Mixed; 74 @ 75½c for sail do; closing at 74 @ 74½c; 75 @ 76c for high Mixed and Yellow Western; closing at 75c; 67 @ 71c for new Western Mixed; 66c for new White Southern; 71 @ 72c for new and old Western Mixed. Oats—receipts 82,951 bush; the market is more active and steady; sales of 128,000 bush; 41 @ 46c for Mixed Western and State; 49 @ 49½c for No 2 Milwaukee; 45c for rejected Chicago; 45 @ 50c for White Western and State. Hay quiet at 70 @ 75c for shipping. Coffee—Rio is active and firm; cargoes at 18½ @ 21c gold; job lots 18½ @ 21½c gold. Sugar firm and in moderate demand at 8¼ @ 8½c for fair to good refining; 8½c for prime; 700 hhds Muscovado on basis of quotations; refined is unchanged at 10 @ 10½c for standard A; 10¾ @ 10½c for granulated and powdered; 10¾ @ 11c for crushed. Molasses—Orleans steady; sales 200 bbls at 58 @ 62c for good to choice. Rice is unchanged. Petroleum is quiet; crude at 6¼ @ 7c; refined at 12½ @ 12¾c; cases at 16½ @ 19; Naptha at 10c. Tallow is firm at 9¾c. Naval Stores—Rosin quiet at 1 70 @ 1 80 Turpentine at 37½c. Pork steady; 100 bbls mess job lots at 22 50; 1100 bbls seller balance of the year at 21 40 @ 21 50; 1000 bbls seller January at 21 00; 500 do seller for February at 21 00. Beef is quiet. Cut Meats—Western is quiet; middles—Western long clear at 11¼c; city ship clear at 11½c. Lard is quiet; 250 tcs old prime steam at 12 15-16; 1500 do seller for balance of the year at 12 15-16; 3000 tcs for seller January at 13 13-16 @ 13½c; 2500 tcs for seller February at 13 3-16. Butter—10 @ 25c for Western; 23 @ 32c for State. Whiskey dull at 1 15.

Freights to Liverpool—market is active and firm; Cotton per steam at 13-32d; do sail at 5-16d; Corn per steam at 9 @ 9½d; Corn per sail at 8d; Wheat per steam at 9½ @ 10d; Wheat per sail 8½d; Flour per sail 3s.

CHICAGO, November 30 —Flour inactive. Wheat is in good demand and prices a shade higher; No 1 Chicago Spring 1 03½; No 2 Chicago Spring at 1 03 on spot; 1 04 seller for January; No 3 Chicago Spring at 85½ @ 85¾c; rejected at 73½ @ 73¾c. Corn opened dull and closed active with a continued upward tendency; No 2 Mixed at 43½ @ 43¾c on spot; 43c bid seller November; 46½ @ 46¾c seller all the year; rejected old 45c; do new 40c. Oats quiet and steady; No 2 at 30½ @ 30½c on spot; 30½c for seller January. Barley opened firm and closed dull at 48c on spot. Rye easier and in good demand at 68 @ 68½. Pork is dull and shade lower; sales at 19 75 for on spot; 19 25 @ 19 27½ seller for all the year. Lard is easier and in good demand at 12 32 bid on spot; 12 25 @ 12 27½ seller all the year. Bulk Meats are in fair demand and firm. Whiskey demand active at 1 11.

Receipts—13,000 bbls flour, 46,000 bush wheat, 37,000 bush corn,

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CITY AND VICINITY.

New Advertisements To-Day.

ENTERTAINMENT COLUMN.
Adelphia—For the Season.
Pine Street M. E. Church—Lecture Course.
MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.
Silk Mufflers—Davis & Co.
NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
Choice Periodicals for 1876.
Lost—On Monday.
Lost—Between Preble House.
AUCTION COLUMN.
Positively last Sale—F. O. Bailey & Co.
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PORTLAND POST OFFICE.

C. W. GODDARD - - POSTMASTER.
J. W. YORK - - ASSISTANT-POSTMASTER

Office Hours.

From 8.00 a m to 8.30 p m, Sundays excepted.
Sundays open for Carriers and General Delivery from 9 to 10 a m.

PORTLAND, ME., Nov. 8, 1875.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

Boston and intermediate offices. Arrive at 1.20 p. m. and 12.30 a. m. Close at 8.20 a m, and 2.30 and 9.00 p. m.
Boston and the West. Arrive at 5.00 p m.
Intermediate or Way Mails via Boston and Maine Railway. Arrive at 1.20 and 8.20 p m. Close at 8.20 a m and 2.30 p m.
Great Southern and Western. Arrive at 1.20 p. m. and 12.30 a m. Close at 8.20 a m, 2.30 and 9.00 p. m.
Bangor, Mattawamkeag, and connecting routes. Arrive at 3.00 p. m. Close at 12.30 p. m.
Augusta and connecting routes. Arrive at 9.00 a. m. and 3 00 p. m. Close at 12.30 and 5.00 p. m.
Express, Augusta, Bangor and the East. Arrive at 2.00 a m. Close at 9.00 p m.
Skowhegan, Intermediate offices and the north. Arrive at 3.00 p. m. Close at 12.30 p. m.
Skowhegan closed pouch closes at 9.00 p m.
Canada and intermediate offices, via G. T. R. Arrive at 2.20 p. m. Close at 12.45 p m.
Morning Northwestern by G. T. R. Arrive at 8.45 a m. Close at 6.30 a. m.
Lewiston and Auburn. Arrive at 9.00 a. m., 3.00 and 6.30 p. m. Close at 6.30 a m, 12.30 and 5.00 p. m.
Rochester, N. H., and intermediate offices. Arrive at 1.45 and 11.25 p m. Close at 7.30 a m, and 3.30 p m.
North Conway and other offices on the P. & O. R. R. Arrive at 11.45 a m, and 4.45 p m. Close at 7.00 a. m. and 2.30 p m.
By the Bridgton Stage. Arrive at 3 p m. Close at 6.50 a m.
Eastport, via each steamer. Arrive at 6.00 a m. Close at 5.00 p m.
Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Mount Desert, Millbridge, Jonesport and Machias, via each steamer. Arrive at 6 a m. Close at 9 p m.
Nova Scotia and Prince Edward's Island. Arrive Thursday at 6 a m. Close Saturday at 3.30 p m.
Foreign Mails per Allan Line from Quebec close every Friday at 12.45 p m.
Foreign Mails, via New York, day previous to sailing of steamers. Close at 2.30 p m.
Collections from Street letter boxes at 7.00 a. m., 12 m. and 2.00 and 6.00 p. m.

Stated Meetings.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

The regular meetings of the City Council take place the first Monday evening of each month.
The School Committee meet the fourth Monday evening of each month.

MASONIC
At Masonic Hall, No. 95 Exchange Street.
YORK RITES.

BLUE LODGES—Ancient Land-Mark, first Wednesday; Portland, second Wednesday; Atlantic, third Wednesday.
CHAPTERS—Greenleaf R. A. C., first Monday; Mt. Vernon, R. A. C., third Monday.
COUNCIL—Portland C. R. & S. Masters, second Monday.
COMMANDERIES OF K. T.—Portland, fourth Monday; St. Albans, second Thursday.
GRAND BODIES—Grand Lodge, first Tuesday in May; Grand Chapter, first Tuesday evening in May; Grand Council, Wednesday 3 P. M.; Grand Commandery, Wednesday evening.
MASONIC RELIEF ASSOCIATION—Fourth Wednesday in every month.
PORTLAND SCHOOL OF MASONIC INSTRUCTION—Second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.
ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITES.
LODGE—Yates Grand Lodge of Perfection, first Friday.
COUNCIL—Portland Council P. of J cond Friday.
CHAPTER—Dunlap Chapter Rose Croix de H., third Friday.
CONSISTORY—Maine Consistory, S. P. R. S., fourth Friday in March, June, September and December.

I. O. O. F.
At Odd Fellows' Hall, No. 88 Exchange Street.

LODGES—Maine, on Monday evenings; Ancient Brothers, on Thursday evenings; Ligonia, on Friday evenings; Beacon, on Tuesday evenings; Ivy, D., of R., second and fourth Saturday.
ENCAMPMENTS—Machigonne, first and third Wednesdays; Eastern Star, second and fourth Wednesdays; Portland, first and third Saturdays.
RELIEF ASSOCIATION—Every third Tuesday in the month.
BENEFIT ASSOCIATION.—Board of Directors meet first Monday evening of each month. Association meets first Monday evening of January, April, July and October.

TEMPLARS OF HONOR.
At Templars' Hall, No. 100 Exchange Street.

COUNCIL—Maine, first and third Mondays in each month.
TEMPLE—Forest City, No. 1, every Wednesday evening.

PORTLAND TEMPERANCE REFORM CLUB—Headquarters in Fluent Block, corner of Congress and Exchange Streets, Rooms 9 and 10. Open day and evening. Business meeting every Monday evening at 7½ o'clock.
PORTLAND TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION, No. 75.—Second Saturday in each month.
MAINE CHARITABLE MECHANIC ASSOCIATION—Corner of Congress and Casco streets. First Thursday in each month.
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION—Corner Congress and Casco streets. Every evening.
KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Bramhall Lodge, No. 3 Thursday evenings; Munjoy Lodge, No. 6, Monday evenings; Pine Tree, No. 11, Friday evenings At their Hall, Clapp's Block, Market Square.
PORTLAND ARMY AND NAVY UNION—Corner Congress and Brown streets. First Tuesday in each month.
PORTLAND INSTITUTE AND PUBLIC LIBRARY City Building. Open and free to all from 10 to 1 o 5 and 7 o 9.
PAYSON LITERARY SOCIETY.—Meetings every Monday evening, Brown's Block, cor. Brown and Congress streets, at 7½ o'clock.
MERCANTILE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION, Congress Hall Block. Second Monday in each month. Delivery of books, 2 to 6, 7 to 9, day and evening.
PORTLAND FRATERNITY—No. 333½ Congress street. Every evening.
BOSWORTH POST G. A. R.—Meetings every Friday evening in Mechanics' Hall, corner of Congress and Casco streets.
INDEPENDENT ORDER OF GOOD TEMPLARS—Arcana, Monday; Mission, Wednesday; Forest City in Williams' block, Congress street. Mystic, Thursday, at Sons of Temperance Hall Congress St Iron Clad, Thursday, at West End.
PATRIOTIC ORDER SONS OF AMERICA—Camps No 1, 3 & 4 convenes over the Eastern Express Office. Plum Street; No 1 on Tuesday evening; No. 3 on Wednesday evening; No. 4 on Monday evening; No 2 at School House, Turner's Island, Cape Elizabeth, Friday evening.

Superior Court.

NOVEMBER CIVIL TERM, 1875, SYMONDS, J., PRESIDING.

TUESDAY, November 30.—Daniel B. Soule vs. Samuel Winslow. This is an action on the case for malicious prosecution to recover damages alleged to have been sustained by the plaintiff in defending an action brought against him by Samuel Winslow, next friend of one Harrison Joy, for an alleged balance due for labor.

This case has been tried twice before, and each time we gave a full report of the facts. The evidence at this trial does not differ materially from that adduced at the former trials. In the first trial of this case, Soule vs. Winslow, the jury disagreed; at the next trial a verdict was rendered for the plaintiff for $141. In this trial a verdict for the defendant was rendered. Plaintiff files a motion for a new trial and alleges exceptions.

Mattocks & Fox for plaintiff.
Motley & Blethen for defendant.

This being the last case for the jury, they were excused finally.

This (Wednesday) morning at 9 o'clock court cases will be taken up in the order of their assignment.

Municipal Court.

JUDGE KNIGHT PRESIDING.

TUESDAY, November 30.—James Arnold. Intoxication. Fined $3 with costs. Paid.

George W. Davis and Joseph K. Small. Intoxication. Fined $5 with costs each. Paid.

Eugene Leonard, Charles McKidney, James Donovan, Patrick Ford and John Leonard. Larceny. Sixty days each. Committed.

Edward Higgins. Larceny. Sixty days. Committed.

John F. Rafferty. Making noises on the street. Fined $3 each with costs. Paid.

William Judkins and John Harkins. Assault Fned $3 each with costs. Paid.

Thomas H. Welch, Hugh Conley, John Ney, John H. Burke and Patrick Gibbons. Making noise on the Sabbath and disturbing the public. Fined $1 each with costs. Paid.

George W. Davis. Assault and battery. Fined $1 with costs. Paid.

Ella Cleaves and Georgia Googins. Search and seizure. Discharged.

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FATAL ACCIDENT.—Last eveing at a little past six o'clock, Mr. Alexander Bailey, a carpenter in the employ of the Maine Central road in this city, attempted to jump from the train a little this side of Morrill's Corner, when his foot slipped and he went under the car. The wheels passed over his body mutilating it shockingly. He was taken to his home near by but lived but a short time. He lived a short distance this side of the depot, and it was his habit to ride out on the evening train, and at times he jumped off before reaching the depot to shorten his walk. He was about 45 years of age and leaves a family. Coroner Gould will go out this morning to hold an inquest over the body.

Brief Jottings.

Remember that Chandler furnishes the music at the assembly at Army and Navy Hall this evening.

The second grand assembly of Mr. Holmes's dancing class comes off at Lancaster Hall this evening.

To-morrow evening Wendell Phillips will deliver a lecture in the Army and Navy course on 'Street Life in Europe."

The new Baptist church in Saco will be dedicated to-day. Rev. A. K. P. Small formerly of this city, will preach the sermon.

The festival of St. Andrew's was not celebrated in this city yesterday as usual.

This evening Dr. Mark Trafton, a clergyman of eminence among the Methodists, will deliver the first lecture in the Pine street course on the "Birch Canoe."

Mr. Winsor B. Smith and Leonard Jordan, Esq., went to Haverhill yesterday to present the resolutions which were sent from Bosworth Post to Major How Post of that city.

The new plow, Mt. Washington, became detached from a train on the Ogdensburg yesterday and ran a long distance until it struck a snow drift and stopped.

DISMISSALS AT THE CUSTOM HOUSE.—Pursuant to the order of the Secretary of the Treasury, Collector Washburn gave the following officers notice of dismissal in order to cut down the force to the appropriations made for their pay: M. N. Rich, Deputy Collector; S. R. Leavitt, Weigher and Gauger; Hollis True, H. R. Sargent, J. C. Shirley, S. A. Nash and J. F. Land, Inspectors. The Inspectors dismissed were those covered by the order, viz., those receiving $3 per day. Doubtless if the Collector had been authorized to select the candidates for dismissal his choice would have fallen upon other men. Collector Washburn expects that the Secretary will restore the men to duty since they are specially needed at this season of the year. Indeed, for several years five special inspectors have been appointed during the winter season on account of the great increase of business from the English steamers. This order reduces the force ten inspectors below the number usually employed. Those qualified to judge represent that the force as cut down by the order cannot properly attend to the business without causing delay to shippers.

THE LOST SCHOONER.—The schooner John Somes of this city, which was reported lost in Boothbay harbor, Monday, is now thought to be in a condition to be raised. E. H. Chase, one of the owners, has gone to look after her. It was hoped that Capt. Gott was saved, as a dory was put out from Squirrel Island to pick him up. Last evening a despatch was received from Boothbay, announcing that a man had just arrived from Squirrel Island who reported that the dory sent out failed to find Capt. Gott. When last seen the captain was clinging to a plank, but he probably became chilled and was drowned before the boat reached him. He had upwards of $1000 on his person at the time, with which he was to buy a cargo of herring. The deceased was about 35 years of age, and leaves a wife and four small children in this city. He was formerly a resident of Tremont, having lived here but about three years. Capt. Gott had an insurance on his life and was a Mason. The crew were all saved. The vessel is owned by Messrs. E. H. Chase & Co., the captain and others of this city, and is insured in the Portland Mutual Fishing Association.

PORTLAND & OGDENSBURG.—The Portland & Ogdensburg Railroad Company and the Boston, Concord & Montreal Railroad Company have agreed upon the terms upon which the connection between the roads shall be made at Fabyan's, and at Scott's Mills. The Boston, Concord & Montreal Railway Company agree to haul the passenger and freight cars of the Portland & Ogdensburg between these two points, and the Portland & Ogdensburg are to pay a reasonable compensation therefor. to be agreed upon by the parties, or, in case of disagreement, to be determined by referees. This arrangement is to continue so long as desired by the Portland & Ogdensburg, unless upon six months' notice of intention to terminate it on the part of the Boston, Concord & Montreal Railroad Co.

Personal.

Mr. Edwin Byron, the eminent young tragedian, whose "Richard III" called forth so favorable comment at the Boston Theatre a few weeks since, and who created a marked and favorable impression in this city last winter, in "The Fool's Revenge," opens a week's engagement at the Museum on the 13th inst. He will play in "Richard III," "The Merchant of Venice" and "The Corsican Brothers."

Congressman Burleigh will ask President Grant to re-appoint Judge Goddard as Postmaster of this city.

COLD WEATHER.—The month of November goes out cold enough for the Arctic regions. Monday night was most disagreeable, but yesterday morning it was considerable colder with a sharp wind. The thermometer ranged from 8 to 12 below zero at sunrise at different places in the city. At noon it got up to 5 below, but was then very cold. Water pipes were frozen up in different parts of the city, and in some places the frost affected the gas pipes. The plumbers were full of orders, and in consequence were very happy. The streets did not present a very lively appearance as no one went out for the fun of it.

FARMING.—It is a matter for congratulation that so many professional men and merchants in this city are taking an interest in farming and fine stock breeding. For some of them there may not be much money in it, but they will encourage the raising of better stock throughout the country. Gen. Mattocks, with his characteristic energy, has entered into the business at East Baldwin for the purpose of making it pay. He has already a large catalogue of stock swine and poultry, and has made sales which would do credit to an older breeder.

OUR HACKMEN.—Other classes give balls and dances, and why not the hackmen of our city. They are a worthy class taken as a whole, and work hard to earn an honest living. On next Wednesday evening they propose to give a grand ball at Lancaster Hall, and it is hoped they will have a large house and realize a good reward. They are to have a select party and as the matter is in the hands of a competent committee, no one will doubt but that it will be a grand success.

LARCENIES.—Hardly a day passes but that the police officers make a number of arrests for the crime of larceny. In the most of cases the persons arrested are not in need, but they steal for the sake of it. For instance, a colored man was arrested last evening by officer Bell for stealing a revolver. Some time yesterday a Mary Haley was in the rooms of the Provident Association, and seeing a pile of pants stole two pairs and attempted to sell them.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.—The following are the real estate transfers recorded in the county yesterday.

Cumberland—Lot of land from James M. Webber to Louisa H. Webber.
Deering—Lot of land from Samuel Rounds to Abel Chase.
Lot of land from Abel Chase to Mary G. Bennett.
Scarboro—Lot of land from Seth Scammon and Ezra Carter to Geo. H. Merrill.

A SURPRISED PASTOR.—The young people of Casco street church and society to the number of seventy-five, took possession of the residence of their pastor, Rev. C. S. Perkins, Monday evening, while he and his wife were absent and were there, when the worthy couple returned, with an elegant walnut hair-cloth parlor set. Mr. T. C. Lewis presented the present in a few chosen words, after which refreshments were served.

THE MUSEUM.—Delighted audiences gather at the Museum to see "Rosedale." The interest of the play, and the finished manner in which it is presented, combine to make as attractive a performance as has ever been presented at this theatre.

Miss Waldron is still quite ill, and it is doubtful if she will be able to play at all this week. She is threatened with inflammation of the lungs.

MAPS OF BATTLEFIELDS.—Gen. Thom has just received at the U. S. Engineer's office, from the War Department, fine heliotype maps of the battlefields of Winchester, Waynesboro, Fisher's Hill and Cedar Creek, drawn from surveys under the direction of Major G. L. Gillespie. The maps are on the scale of 800 feet to the inch, and show with great clearness the topography of the battle grounds.

BLIND TOM.—The entertainment yesterday evening had but little better attendance than on the evening before. The performance was of the same general character, consisting of selections from the composers of the various classes of music, imitations of musical instruments, and wonderful feats in the perception and execution of sounds. It is a matter for regret that so excellent a show has met with so small patronage.

THE BANK OF PORTLAND.

Examination of William N. Goold.

The examination was continued at 3 p. m., yesterday as follows:

Q—How long before the first check of $4,895 was drawn was this arrangement, spoken of in the foregoing answer, made.

A—But a short time before. It was within a month certainly.

Q—As I understand your statement of the arrangement it was made to enable Clement, and yourself if you desired, to obtain temporary loans of money from the bank from time to time, to be paid in a short time. Is this correct?

A—It is.

Q—Was it known or supposed between you and Clement, at the time the arrangement was made, that the bank was in a bad condition at that time?

A—It was known to both of us at that time that the expenses of the bank were very heavy. We made no figures at this time in regard to the weight of the expenses.

Q—Was it made to enable Clement to withdraw privately what he had put in, in view of any possible failure of the bank?

A—It was not. It was a matter of borrowing.

Q—Then your position is that this arrangement was not a scheme in contemplation of the failure of the bank to get Clement's friends out whole, but rather a method of borrowing funds from the bank?

A—It was simply a method of borrowing.

Q—Clement had three separate modes of doing business with the bank then as I understand. First he began Dec. 29th, 1873, to make his large permanent deposit continuing to Dec. 30th, 1874, amounting to $32,984.47, from which he withdrew nothing up to the time of the failure. Second, he had an ordinary deposit account beginning April 2d, 1874, and continuing till March 26, 1875, from which he drew from time to time in the ordinary manner, leaving, as appears by the books, a balance of $2,968 41 due him at the time of the failure. Thirdly, independent of these two modes, he used to borrow of the funds of the bank from time to time, sums of money, by the checks which you have enumerated in your answer to interrogatory 24, none of which were paid, and which amount in the whole to $42,070. Is this correct, or, if incorrect in any particular, please state the exact facts?

A—It is correct.

Q—Will you state also whether or not, from time to time, Clement, after he began to do business with the bank, got notes discounted in the regular ordinary way?

A—He did.

Q—State, whether or not, at the same time whilst Clement was borrowing money by means of the checks enumerated in your answer, which he never paid, as you say, he was making deposits from time to time in said general or special accounts?

A—He was.

Q—Calling your attention to the first check dated May 1, 1875, for $4,895, which was drawn for a $5,000 note discounted, please describe said note, who was the maker, to whom payable, its date as near as you can, and on what time it was given, and the rate at which it was discounted?

A—I think Twitchell, Champlin & Co. were the makers. It was payable to Moses B. Clement. I do not recollect the date. I think the time was for four months. I do not remember that any rate was made on the note.

Q—Judging from the amount of discount deducted, viz, $105, cannot you tell approximately the rate and the time the note had to run?

A—Not knowing the date of course I cannot make the figures.

Q—Was it discounted by you for Clement on the date of the check, May 1, 1874?

A—I permitted him to draw against it. It was discounted at that time.

Q—Then after discounting the note as above, I understand you to say that you took this identical note and raised money on it elsewhere which you let Clement have, and for which Clement drew his check or overdraft for the same amount and thus received twice $4,895 on the same note?

A—I did not receive twice $4,895, but drew but one check, the note not having been entered on the books of the bank, the second $4,895 which he received being raised on the note outside of the bank.

Q—From what source did you receive the money on the note?

A—To the best of my recollection, from the Everett Bank of Boston.

Q—Do you mean that you got it discounted there?

A.—I think that I obtained a loan, leaving the note with others as a collateral. I do not recollect the amount of the loan.

Q.—Are you sure that this note was not discounted for you by the Everett National Bank?

A.—I think it was not at that time. I am not sure. The books of the Everett will probably tell. I am not sure but what it was discounted.

Q.—Then the transaction of your raising money upon the note is not entered upon your books? I mean the books of the bank.

A.—I will ascertain and see. I do not recollect.

Q.—Do you know that the transaction of your discounting the note of Clement is not entered on your books?

A.—I think it is not. I will ascertain and report.

Q.—Was the transaction of your discounting the note of Clement entered upon his bank book?

A.—I do not recollect. I can tell by examining his book. On examination of a copy of his bank book, I should say it was very evident that it was entered.

Q.—Why was it that it was not also entered on the books of the bank?

A.—It was a common occurrence in the course of my business when parties presented notes for discount, and they were discounted, for me to figure the discount at once, and enter the avails on the credit books of the bank before entry on my discount book. In this case the entry was made in the same manner, at the time Mr. Clement presented the note. As his request for the additional amount borrowed was made before I had an opportunity to enter the note, and as he agreed to repay the amount borrowed in a short time, I did not enter the note, but let the matter rest. To the best of my recollection it was never straightened out on the books of the bank.

Q.—How did you manage on the books of bank in regard to the $105, the amount of the discount deducted?

A.—The matter never being straightened out on the books of the bank, the $105 was never called into account.

Q.—What straightening out could there be if there was no entry on the book?

A.—I mean there was no entry on the said book.

Q.—This loan and all the others spoken of in answer to interrogatory 24 were understood to be of a temporary character, you say. This was made more than a year before your failure. Was this one or any of the others paid? If not, why not?

A.—They were never paid. Mr. Clement would make repeated excuses for not paying them.

Q.—Why were they not deducted from as offset against the sums deposited previous to and during the time said loans were made?

A.—Because of the arrangement between Mr. Clement and myself in regard to temporary loans.

Q.—How could you manage to get along with your business with more than four times your capital and more than the whole amount of your deposits in Clement's hands not drawing interest?

A.—By re-discounting notes for my loan whenever I had an opportunity and by making temporary loans from other banks. This was my principal method.

Q—Were you not greatly pressed for money during the last year of your carrying on business, so that you were obliged to incur large expenses and adopt extraordinary means in raising money?

A—I was.

Q—Why then did you not then collect those temporary loans from Clement?

A—I relied on Mr. Clement's promises to return the money which he made from time to time, having full confidence that he would do so. The reasons that he gave were principally that he wished to use the money a very short time longer, and in was inconvenient for him to pay it then, and similar reasons.

Q—Did he know that you were paying one-quarter of one per cent to the Eastern Express Company to transfer money by telegraph on the morning of one day to meet checks drawn the day before on the Everett National Bank?

A—He did.

Q—Did you know or did said Clement tell you for what purpose he wanted so large a sum of money?

A—I did not know; neither did he tell me. He stated to me at several different times that he was engaged in speculations outside, mentioning among them operations in sugar, mackerel, and, I think, in connection with a Capt. Bartlett in some West India venture.

Q—Did you not understand that the funds of a sugar and mackerel speculation were provided by the Twitchell, Champlin & Co. papers?

A—I did not know whether that provided for it all or not.

Q—You say that you paid him these various loans in bills. Do you know what he did with those bills?

A—I do not. I paid him in bills at his request.

Q—Do you know why he wanted bills?

A—I do not; he gave no reason except that he could use them best.

Q—Did he deposit in any other bank in the city to your knowledge during the time he was connected in business with you.

A—Not to my knowledge.

Q—Where were the said checks taken for said loans kept in the bank?

A—In the inner safe in the vault.

Q—Did your clerk or any body else beside you and Clement see or know of said checks before your failure?

A—No one to my knowledge.

Q—How are you enabled when they are so numerous and so diverse in date and amount to describe them so accurately, after they have been given up to Clement as you say.

A—From a memorandum I made of them before delivering them to Mr. Clement, which I will produce.

The examination was suspended at this point.

THE meetings of prayer, for a work of grace in our city, will be continued at the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. every afternoon and evening this week at 3 and 7½ o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

Business Notes.

The Knickerbocker (Philadelphia) Ice Co are grading a lot for a new ice house near the Chelsea houses, which they purchased some time ago, and think now of erecting buildings and filling them this winter.

The steam mill of the Kennebec Land & Lumber Co., in Pittston, shut down for the winter Tuesday night last.

There is to be no logging in Grafton this winter.

Hops are quoted at 12 cents a pound in Oxford county.

John W. Bennett has used in his starch factory at Rumford Falls, 4250 bushels of potatoes and made between 10 and 11 tons of starch this season.

The Whig says that Rollins' mill in Brewer, shut down Monday evening, and will not resume work until the first of January.

The Wentworth spring manufactory in Gardiner gives employment to forty men, and its pay roll amounts to over $2000 per month.

STATE NEWS.

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY.

The Lewiston Journal says that a horse weighing 1000 pounds, belonging to Charles Stevens of Auburn, recently fell through an 18 by 24 inch scuttle into the basement of the stable, where he was found by his owner, alive and but little injured.

The Lewiston and Auburn Reform Club meetings are enthusiastic and well attended.

Theodore Tilton is soon to lecture in Lewiston.

AROOSTOOK COUNTY.

Winter has set in in earnest in Aroostook. Eighteen inches of snow are reported with drifts that would do credit to mid-winter. Monday's snow storm and wind were the severest ever known so early in the season.

According to the Presque Isle Star James Phair of that town expended $13.65 in raising a pig which he sold for $30.05, giving a net profit of $16.42. Nevertheless Aroostook imported for home consumption last year 2500 barrels of pork.

The Fort Fairfield branch of the New Brunswick & Canada railway was opened yesterday (Tuesday) with appropriate ceremonies.

KENNEBEC COUNTY.

The Journal says Moses Bailey, Esq., of Winthrop, has bought a large oil cloth establishment in New Jersey, near Philadelphia, and will remove there with his family this week.

Mayor Conoy of Augusta, has just slaughtered two pigs of the Berkshire breed, fourteen months old; one weighing 422 pounds and the other 395 pounds.

The steamer "Star of the East," is hauled up in winter quarters at East Boston. She made her last trip from the Kennebec, starting on Thanksgiving Day.

The Lewiston Journal says that Isaac Clough of China, was stopped by a man between Augusta and China, who demanded his money. Fortunately, Mr. Clough had a good horse whose speed saved his owner's purse. The man has not been arrested.

On Saturday evening C. O. Robinson of Waterville, slipped on the ice and broke his leg in two places.

OXFORD COUNTY.

The Democrat says that the house and outbuildings of Mr. Ezra Fuller, at the head of Bear Pond in Hartford, were burned a few weeks ago.

The fall term of the Oxford Normal Institute will close this week. There will be examinations through the week, and an exhibition on Friday evening.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

The Whig says that the steamer Katahdin is to be hauled up until the middle of December for repairs, when she will take the place of the Cambridge and will make one trip per week from Boston to Bucksport, or as far as the ice will permit.

A little daughter of E. O. Pendleton of Bangor, between four and five years of age, while sliding down hill Saturday, broke her wrist.

The winter term of the Bangor public schools began last Monday.

A patent has been issued to Dr. J. F. Babcock of Bangor, for his carventilating apparatus.

YORK COUNTY.

William B. Merrill of Buxton, was severely injured by a falling tree Tuesday. One knee is badly injured and he received a severe blow on his neck, but his physicians think he will be out in a few weeks.

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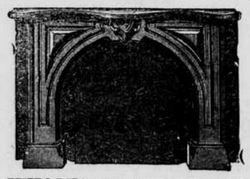

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To all Persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

AT a Court of Probate held at Portland, within and for the County of Cumberland, on the third Tuesday of November in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and seventy-five, the following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED,

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Maine State Press and Eastern Argus, papers printed at Portland aforesaid, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at said Portland on the third Tuesday of December next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon, and object if they see cause:

HARRIET KEITH, of Eaton, in the County of Carroll and State of New Hampshire. Petition for license to sell and convey real estate, presented by Walter H. Keith, Guardian.

FRANKLIN O. HALL, late of Casco, deceased. First and final account presented for allowance by Samuel S Browne, Administrator.

CARRIE C. TRUE & AL, minor children and heirs of Joseph True, late of Brunswick, deceased. Second accounts presented for allowance by Sarah J. True, Guardian.

OLIVER BEARCE, late of New Gloucester, deceased First and final account presented for allowance by David W. Merrill, Administrator.

ELIJAH FULTON, late of Raymond, deceased. Petition for license to sell, transfer and assign a certain note and mortgage belonging to said deceased's estate, to Melvina E. Spiller, presented by Henry C. Peabody, Administrator with the will annexed.

FRANCIS SYMONDS, late of Raymond, deceased. Petition for allowance out of personal estate, presented by Martha J. Symonds, widow of said deceased.

JAMES POLAND, late of Pownal, deceased. Copy of will and petition that the same may be verified and established as the will of said testator, presented by Sarah G. Poland, Executrix.

MARY E. WEBSTER, late of Gray, deceased. Account presented for allowance by John W. Webster, Administrator with the will annexed.

JOHN HILL, late of Yarmouth, deceased. Account presented for allowance by John Noyes, Administrator.

CHARLES MOXCEY, late of Yarmouth, deceased. First account and private claim against said estate, presented for allowance by Perez B. Loring, Executor.

JOHN STUBBS, late of Cumberland, deceased. First and final account, private claim and resignation of trust, and petition that Solomon T. Merrill, of Cumberland, may be appointed Trustee, presented by Joseph Stubbs, Trustee.

THOMAS A. JOHNSON, late of Gorham, deceased. First account presented for allowance by Caroline B. Johnson, Administratrix.

JAMES McMILLAN, late of Gorham, deceased. Second account presented for allowance by Almira McMillan, Administratrix.

JOHN M. PARKER, late of Gorham, deceased. First account presented for allowance by Granville McKenney and Elizabeth B. McKenney, Trustees.

NATHAN D. NOYES, late of Falmouth, deceased. Will and petition for the probate thereof, presented by Ann B. Noyes, the Executrix therein named.

ELIZA A. BENNETT, of Scarborough. Second account presented for allowance by Granville McKenney, Guardian.

BELA SHAW, late of Westbrook, deceased. Petition for license to sell and convey real estate, presented by David Torrey, Administrator.

RICHARD W. MAYBERRY, late of Deering, deceased. First and final account presented for allowance by Eliza F. Mayberry, Administratrix.

RUTH P. CROCKER, late of Portland, deceased. Second and final account presented for allowance by Lewis Pierce, Executor.

LUCINDA S. DAVIS, late of Portland, deceased. Will and petition for the probate thereof, presented by Charles W. Davis, the Executor therein named.

MICHAEL McFARLAND, late of Portland, deceased. Will and petition for the probate thereof, presented by Thomas McGowan, the Executor therein named.

PATRICK SHERIDAN, late of Portland deceased. Copy of Will and petition that the same may be verified and established as the Will of said testator, presented by Catharine Sheridan, widow of said deceased.

CHARLES STAPLES, late of Portland, deceased. First and final account and private claim against said estate, presented for allowance by Charles Staples, Jr., Administrator.

JULIA W. WHITE & AL., minor heirs of Levi Weymouth, late of Portland, deceased. Accounts presented for allowance by Henry P. White, Guardian.

ABBY D. KELLY, late of Portland, deceased. Accounts presented for allowance by Lydia C. Kilgore, Trustee.

THOMAS O'MALLEY & ALS., minor children and heirs of Edward O'Malley, late of Portland, deceased. Final accounts of Thomas Gill, Guardian, presented for allowance by Brian E. McDonough, Administrator of the estate of said Thomas Gill, deceased.

MAUD MILLER & AL., minor children and heirs of Daniel W. Miller, late of Portland, deceased. Petition for license to sell and convey real estate, presented by Franklin J. Rollins, Guardian.

WILLIAM PARKER, late of Portland, deceased. Petition for license to sell and convey real estate, presented by Abigail C. Parker. Administratrix.

JAMES POOLE, late of Portland, deceased. Petition for license to sell and convey real estate, presented by Eunice Poole, Administratrix.

WALTER E. BLANCHARD, minor child and heir of Homer E Blanchard, late of Cumberland, deceased Second account presented for allowance by John Hulit, Guardian.

JOHN A. WATERMAN, Judge.

A true copy of the original Order.
Attest, WILLIAM K. NEAL, Register.
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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

BY virtue of a power of sale contained in and of the provisions of a certain mortgage deed given by Job R. Duran, of Portland, Cumberland County, State of Maine, to George L. Wescott, of said Portland, dated 11th October, 1869, recorded in the registry of deeds for said county, book 369, page 58, which said mortgage was duly assigned to me, Ira P. Farrington, the 28th October, 1875, by assignment recorded in said registry, book 422, page 430, will be sold, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage, at public auction, on the premises hereinafter described, on the twenty-eighth day of February next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a certain lot of land, with all the improvements that may be thereon, situated in said Portland on the northwesterly side of Lincoln street, and bounded as follows; Commencing on the northerly corner of Lincoln and Elm street, thence running about northwesterly by the northeasterly side of Elm street, twenty feet and seven inches, to the centre of the partition wall between the block of two houses numbered thirty-one and thirty-three (31 and 33) Elm street, thence through the centre of the partition wall of said block, about northeasterly, seventy-five feet, to land now or formerly owned by Charles Q. Clapp, thence southeasterly, by the line of said Clapp's land, twenty feet and seven inches, to a stake on the northwesterly side line of Lincoln street, thence southwesterly, by the side line of Lincoln street, seventy-five feet, to the bounds begun at. Said lot has, since said mortgage was given, been mortgaged by said Duran to Nathan Hill, of Rollinsford, State of New Hampshire, and the right to redeem is now owned, or supposed to be owned, by George R. Davis, of said Portland.

Terms cash. I. P. FARRINGTON. wtd46

Non-Resident Taxes in the Town of Westbrook, in the County of Cumberland, State of Maine, for the Year 1874.

THE following list of taxes on real estate of non-resident owners in the town of Westbrook, for the year 1874, in bills committed to John Brown, Collector of said town for said year, on the 17th day of August, 1874, has been returned by him to me as remaining unpaid on the 16th day of August, 1875, and now remain unpaid; and notice is hereby given that if the said taxes, and interest and charges are not paid into the treasury of said town within eighteen months from the commitment of said bills, so much of the real estate taxed as will be sufficient to pay the amount due thereof, including interest and charges, will, without further notice, be sold at public auction, at the Selectmen's Office in said Westbrook, on Wednesday, the 16th day of February, 1876, at ten o'clock A. M.

Names.	Property.	Value.	Tax.
Clark, Fred W,	50 acres land	$ 600	$11 40
Cook, A G,	house and lot,	22 acres land. 750	14 25
Hale, Fred,	4 acres land	200	3 80
Hanson, Nicholas,	20 acres land and swamp lot	800	15 20
Jenness, Mary G,	12 acres land and house.	600	11 40
Minot, H M,	estate 17 acres land	300	5 70
Marr Brothers,	house and lot and dye house	1600	30 40
Sturgis, E G,	house and lot	900	17 10
Skillings, Daniel,	8 acres land	100	1 90
Pride, Jasen N,	house, barn and lot, 30 acres mowing, 30 acres pasturing	1750	33 25
Woodbury, William P,	4 acres land	200	3 80

JAMES M. WEBB,
Treasurer of Westbrook.
Westbrook, Nov. 11, 1875. nov13d1t&w3w46

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